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A PLEASANT AND PAYING BUSINESS.

The Republican's subscription contest, which will end tomorrow night, has been of twofold value to all the boys and girls who have taken part in it and will be of three fold benefit to most of them—that is, to those among whom the eight prizes will be distributed. From all points of view the contest has been much more successful than even the sanguine circulation department imagined it could be. The results have been beyond expectation. It was not apprehended that the contestants would throw so much vim into it, or that they could find so many persons who had been deprived of the advantage of reading The Republican.

As a matter of fact, the field of operations at the beginning of the contest was not an apparently fruitful one. It had already been rather closely reaped over so that the contestants went forth in the character of gleaners. But people kept coming into the valley, and they were at once seized upon and enrolled on the subscription list. Hundreds of subscriptions have been received from non-residents, to whom the contestants by means of letters or through friends, have successfully pointed out the advantage of being regular readers of The Republican.

We can not now think of any recent enterprise in the valley which has been so solidly beneficial to all parties concerned, the subscribers, the contestants and The Republican. We began by saying that this contest has been of two fold benefit to all of the competitors, and of three fold benefit to most of them. The business training they have received, the development of their self confidence, the larger acquaintance with human nature, and human persons they have formed will stand them in good stead throughout an active life. They are much better fitted by it for the educational courses which they will have earned in the same contest and through which they will be fitted for useful lives.

Then, last and not least, but by no means unimportant, is the money which they have each and all received in the way of regular commissions on subscriptions. Many a man supporting a family has earned less money in the last two months than some of these contestants. It has been a paying and pleasant business all around.

The great interest which the people of Bakersfield, Cal., have taken in the rescue of Hicks the entombed miner, and their preparations for extensive rejoicing are complimentary to them and to mankind generally. It only needs something extraordinary like this case of Hicks to arouse the good in us. We are prone to callousness, made so by the miseries which are so common about us. But something like this case of Hicks brings to the surface the sympathetic sentiment of the meanest and most hard hearted of men.

The Southern Pacific authorities have received a rather peremptory order from President Roosevelt to stop the flow of the Colorado into the Salton Sea. The Southern Pacific had for some time been thinking of doing something like that, though the road does not really feel that it is under any legal obligation to control the movements of the Colorado.

Near coffee and fruit mince-meat will be classed with wooden nutmegs under the new pure food law, and bologna sausage must sail under its own colors; but the single oyster in the church social stew will bring the dilution well within the provisions of the statute.

If the remaining indicted rebating corporations shall be convicted, and follow the example of the American Sugar Refinery and the Brooklyn Cooperage company, and pay their fines promptly, Uncle Sam's treasury will soon be full to overflowing.

The cruelty of Russian officials is past understanding. One political prisoner was forced to listen to a phonograph continuously for six months, when total imbecility came to his relief.

Former Senator Brown furnished additional evidence of the truth of the

proverb that "there is a way which seemeth to a man right," but which not infrequently ends in tragedy.

NEW WASHINGTON FLOODS.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 20.—Heavy rains from Chinook winds the past two days caused another flood in the mountain streams. The Green river is raging and has carried out the Northern Pacific bridge at Maywood, two miles from Green River Hot Springs. All trains are delayed.

A SOUVENIR.—Charles Carroll yesterday found and brought to The Republican office a souvenir of early days in Phoenix. It is a dog tag No. 158, dated 1888, bearing the words "Phoenix Dog License." It will be noticed that the spelling of the word license has changed somewhat in these parts in the last eighteen years. Any dog who can prove property may have the tag.


TO DEVELOP SOUTHERN WATER POWER SUPPLY

Boston Capitalists Making Big Investments in the Cotton Belt Center.

Columbus, Ga., Dec. 19.—Boston capitalists have undertaken the harnessing of the falls of the Chattahoochee river, between Columbus and West Point. This project of developing over 200,000 horse power, involving an outlay of millions of dollars, is now being pushed forward by the Columbus Power company, a combination of all the power companies along the river for twenty miles above the city.

Columbus is at the foot of the falls of the Chattahoochee river, the course of which is 24 miles above here is marked by a series of the heaviest falls in the South. There are at present three dams between Columbus and West Point, all of which are within the city limits of Columbus and furnish power to many manufacturing enterprises here.

It is now proposed to line the river for twenty miles with factories by building dam after dam, as fast as additional power is called for. This assures a supply of cheap power here for



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THE CAR SHORTAGE.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—At the afternoon session of the Interstate commerce commission, Julius Kruttschnitt, director of maintenance and operation for the Union Pacific and other Harriman lines said: "The sudden destruction of terminal and warehouse facilities at San Francisco caused a blockade that tied up 6600 cars the greater part of the summer. We are just recovering from this."

He said special commission appointed by the American Railroad association to take up the question of car shortage of which committee he is a member, had been unable to decide upon a satisfactory plan.

A CHRISTMAS ARRIVAL.—Mr. Charles C. Randolph, former proprietor of this paper, who has been visiting friends in Phoenix will leave this morning for his home at Washington, D. C., where he will arrive on Christmas morning.

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A little book of these endorsements has been compiled by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., and will be mailed free to any one asking same by postal card, or letter addressed to the doctor as above. From these endorsements, copied from standard medical books of all the different schools of practice, it will be found that the ingredients composing the "Golden Medical Discovery" are advised not only for the cure of the above mentioned diseases, but also for the cure of all catarrhal, bronchial and throat affections, accompanied with catarrhal discharges, hoarseness, sore throat, lingering, or hang-on-coughs, and all those wasting affections which, if not promptly and properly treated are liable to terminate in consumption. Take Dr. Pierce's Discovery in time and persevere in its use until you give it a fair trial and it is not likely to disappoint. Too much must not be expected of it. It will not perform miracles. It will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. It will cure the affections that lead up to consumption, if taken in time.

a long time to come. Unlimited faith in the future of this section is back of the investment.

A model water power plant, located at Lover's Leap Falls, is now equipped to supply 10,000 horse power, with six giant water wheels, each under a head of 40 feet. At this plant, which is but a few hundred yards from the site selected for the new monster dam, there is a dam 975 feet long, and 41 feet wide.

A large steam plant also supplies power for present needs. Lover's Leap Falls, the most beautiful sight in this section of the South, now transformed into a part of a large mill village, are included in the rights bought up by the Columbus Power company, together with one or two other new companies.

WAS CLOSE TO THE GRANTS.

Hiram Willard, a prosperous merchant of Marshalltown, Ia., who died a few days ago, was at one time a member of the Galena tanning firm of Jesse Grant & Sons. He was a member of the firm when he advanced the money to supply Captain U. S. Grant with uniform and equipments when he became colonel of the Illinois regiment, to which he was first appointed, and he was very closely connected with the Grants, father and sons, while at Galena.

SILVER-TONED BELL OF VELA.

On the watch tower of the Vela, at the Alhambra, Spain, there is a silver-toned bell which the Moslems rung as a signal to let on the water in the gardens and the fountain in the city below. Its sound can be heard at Liga, thirty miles away. The maiden who strikes it today is sure of a husband before the year is out, and of a good one if she rings loud enough. On certain fete days it is lively for the bell.

Do you crowd your way through the world, and make a lot of unnecessary trouble? Don't answer off hand, but think it over. And don't take your own opinion entirely; think it over, and decide what your acquaintances would say in answer to the question. Anyone who makes unnecessary trouble in this world, is a criminal. There is enough trouble that can not be avoided.—Atchison Globe.

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KILLED IN MEXICO.—

Charles Riffle, better known as "Shorty Riffle," a German baker employed until recently at Haas' cafe and quite well known in Douglas, according to a report received here, lost his life in Mexico a few days ago by the explosion of a dynamite shell. He was fishing out from Cananea and way dynamiting the stream when the premature explosion occurred which ended his life. It is said his body was completely blown to pieces.

BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS.—Charles Burroughs favored The Republican office yesterday with a beautiful specimen of the narcissus.

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